

REMARKS

After entry of this amendment, claims 21 through 29 are pending. Claims 1 through 20 are cancelled without waiver or disclaimer. Applicant submits herewith an information disclosure statement with PTO Form 1449.

REQUEST FOR INTERVIEW

Applicant respectfully requests an interview after the Examiner's search and before the First Office Action is prepared. During an interview, any misunderstandings concerning the terminology used in the prior art, terminology used in the claims, and support for the claimed subject matter may be cleared quickly. I wrote the specifications and prepared the drawing in this case. I am aware of all cited references to date. As attorney of record, I am able to review any newly cited prior art within a few hours of the Examiner's phone call and have the authority to amend the claims as may be needed.

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